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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS: CONGRESSIONAL QUERY

REF: STATE 079063

1. EMBASSY HAS NO MEANS OF ESTIMATING GOB EXPENDITURE  
ON NARCOTIC CONTROL, SINCE BUDGET IS CLASSIFIED,  
ESPECIALLY THAT PORTION WHICH DEALS WITH POLICE (MINI-  
STRY OF INTERIOR) FUNCTION.

2. MAIN BULGARIAN EFFORT IS IN BORDER INTERDICTION  
OF TRAFFICKERS. BULGARIAN CUSTOMS IN PAST TWO YEARS  
HAS INCREASED MANPOWER FROM SLIGHTLY OVER 500 OFFICERS  
TO ABOUT 700. INTERNAL MEASURES BEING TAKEN TO REDUCE  
SMALL SUPPLY ARE UNKNOWN.

3. AS DEPARTMENT IS AWARE INTERNAL DRUG PROBLEM IS  
EXTREMELY SMALL. OUR BEST GUESS ON NUMBER OF ADDICTS  
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IS 200-250, ALMOST ALL OF WHOM ARE SUBJECTED TO HOSPI-

TALIZATION. CERTAINLY ADDICTION IS NOT A PROBLEM WHICH REQUIRES SPECIAL ALLOCATION OF FUNDS BUT IS SIMPLY ABSORBED IN NATIONAL HEALTH BUDGET. TO BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE THERE IS NO ANTI-DRUG EDUCATION PROGRAM IN COUNTRY, PROPAGANDA BEING LIMITED TO OCCASIONAL NEWSPAPER ARTICLES CITING THE DANGERS OF DRUG ABUSE AS IT IS PRACTICED IN WESTERN EUROPE AND THE US.

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